



# OMAN ECONOMIC AND FREE ZONE SUMMIT 2018

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## SUMMIT PROGRAMME

Under the Patronage of  
**H. E. Dr. Ali bin Masoud Al-Sunaidi**  
*Minister of Commerce and Industry*

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## **ERWIN MORTELMANS**

*Chief Commercial Officer of Port of Duqm*

Erwin Mortelmans is the Commercial Director of Port of Duqm since June 2015. Before joining Port of Duqm, Erwin has held various commercial, business development and managerial roles during 8 years of service for oil tanking, one of the leaders in the liquid bulk storage industry, including a passage of almost four years in Oman. Erwin started his career in his home country Belgium where he worked for four years as commercial manager for leading industrial glass manufacturing company.



## **SHEIKH AIMEN AL HOSNI**

*CEO of Oman Airport Management Company*

Sheikh Aimen Ahmed Al Hosni has been the Chief Executive Officer at Oman Airports Management Company since December 31, 2015. Mr. Al Hosni served as an Acting Chief Executive Officer and General Manager of Muscat International Airport at Oman Airports Management Company. He holds a bachelor's degree in political science and a master's in public administration.



## **AHMED ALI AKAAK**

*CEO of Port of Salalah*

Mr. Ahmed Ali Akaak is the Deputy CEO of the Company. He has been with the Port since January 2000 where he has worked in several key positions including Chief Corporate Officer and General Manager for Human Resources. He brings to the position broad industry knowledge and executive experience in all aspects of management, including strategic planning and organizational development both locally and nationally. Mr. Akaak's background includes a bachelor degree in Economics from the US and Master Degree in Human Resources management.



## **DEAN CUNNINGHAM**

*CEO of Kunooz Holding*

Before taking on the role of CEO at Kunooz Holding, Dean Cunningham was previously the Managing Director of Auroch Minerals NL, an ASX an exploration company in Mozambique. His career has spanned more than 26 years, including experience in private equity and corporate finance. He is a mining engineer by training.



## **SAID AL MAWALI**

*CEO of Oman DryDock Company*

Said Al Mawali's tenure as CEO of Oman Drydock Company began in 2018. Before his role at ODC, Mawali had been providing leadership and governance for the executive management of Oman Tank Terminal Company LLC (OTTCO) since February 2014.



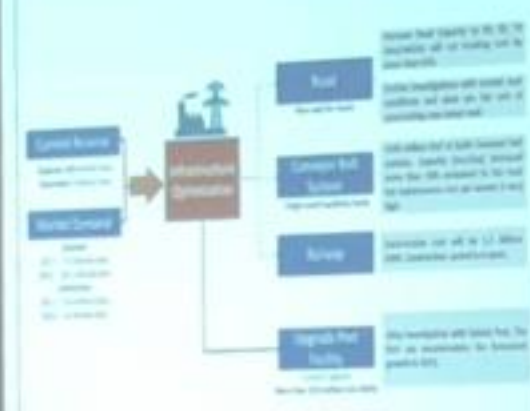




## Initiative 8: Upgrade of Logistics Infra from Thumrait to Salalah

In order to best optimize resources and unlock minerals (gypsum) full potential in Thumrait area, there is a need to upgrade the logistic infra in terms of roads and port capacity

### Initiative concept/details/highlights:



Implementing company/agency:

- Astad
- MOTC
- Salalah Port

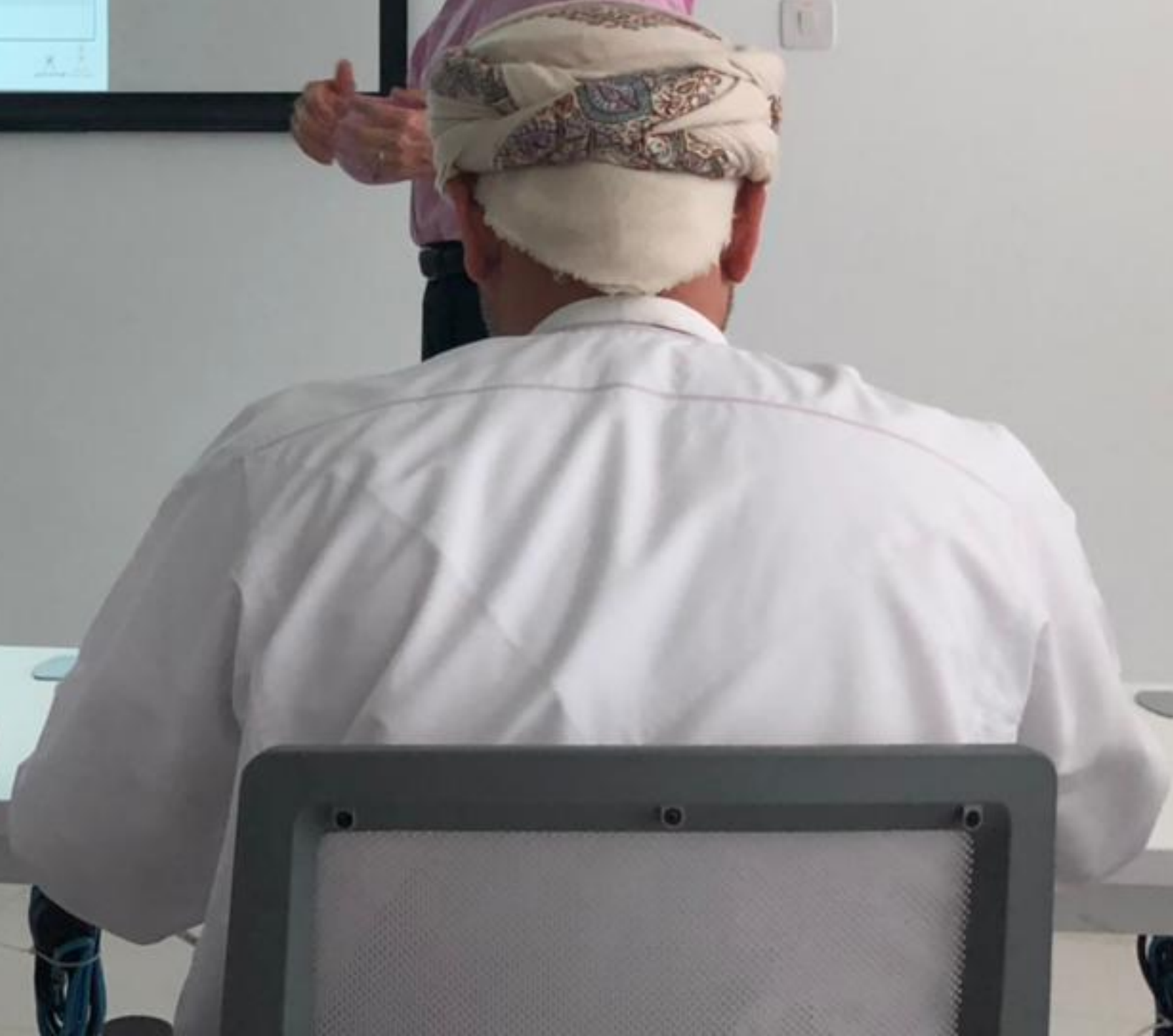
Key stakeholders:

- MOTC
- Salalah Port
- MECA
- ASTAD
- EOP
- MOH
- MOI

Investment (OMR mil) and Jobs:

|         | Private | Public | Total |
|---------|---------|--------|-------|
| 2018-19 |         |        |       |
| 2020    |         |        |       |
| 2021    |         | 100    |       |
| 2022    |         |        |       |
| 2023    |         |        |       |
| Total   |         |        |       |

To enable growth in Gypsum and limestone export and reduce the cost of logistics



## Oman Mining Lab – Industrial Minerals

Advisory Committee Week 4

Logistics Infra Upgrade from Thumrait to Salalah

